#### COMMERCIAL.

In financial affairs there is nothing of importsace to note. Business is again more depressed, the general decline in prices of all kinds of produce having that tendency. The steps being taken to promote the interests of Alexandria, by inducing the construction here of manufactories has had a beneficial effect, and the prospect seems good for the establishment of an iron furnace at no distant day. Money is not in much demand for commercial purposes, and the banks are in a condition to accommodate all legitimate demands. In New York money is shundant at 2a3 per cent on call, and 32a41 on prime mercantile paper. The rates for gold remain without material change, the quotations 10-day being 107. Government bonds are strong, with an advance on some of the issues. Not much doing in State securities, with sales of Virginia consols at 701; coupons 834a834. In local railroad securities there is nothing doing. We give the Baltimore quotations of yesterday.

We Rive and -	Bid.	Ask.
Orange, Alexa. & Man., 7s	77	78
Orange & Alexa. 6s, 1st	***	77
Omngo & Alexa 88. od		51 35
Orange & Alexa. Ss, 4th	***	811
Virginia & Tennessee, 83	City	811
Corporation bonds are quiet but us	settle	d.

Prices of Produce to Alexandria. FLOUR, Fine...... \$7 25 @ 7 10 Superfine 8 50 (a) 8 75 Extra 9 50 (a) 10 00 нүв..... 0 85 @ 0 95 UATS ...... 0 45 @ 0 43 Common to middling..... 0 20 (a 0 13 Common to middling..... 0 10 (a 0 15 EGGS 0 10 60 0 12 IRISH POTATOES...... 1 40 64 1 50 ONIONS 1 25 @ 0 00
DRIED CHERRIES, \$16. 0 12 @ 0 15 GREEN APPLES, & bbl... 2 50 @ 2 75 Western..... 0 14 (a) 0 153 Ground, in bags or bbls... 0 00 (a) 7 50 Lump 4 00 (a) 5 00 SALT, G. A. (Liverpool).... 1 10 (a) 1 20

HAY...... 13 00 @ 15 00 Flour is dull and quiet, though prices are firm st quotations. Wheat is lower, and we quote choice at 100; receipts very light. Corn is a shade firmer than yesterday, and receipts continue light; sales at 60, 62 and 63, as to quality. A small lot of Ryo sold at 86 and 87. No Oats reported. Country produce is generally quiet, with a light inquiry for Butter; quotations are unchanged.

Fine. 1 75 (# 1 90 Turk's Island 0 30 (# 0 40 WOOL, long unwashed 0 34 (# 0 86 Merine, unwashed 0 22 (# 0 23 11) washed 0 30 (# 0 1 32)

Do. washed...... 0 30 (a, 0 32

SUMAC ..... 1 25 @

FIRE REPORT .- There have been received at Fishtown since yesterday's report only about 1000 Shad and 75,000 Herrings. Shad brought from 14 to \$16 per hundred, and Horriugs from to 85 per thousand.

BALTIMORE, May 18.-Virginia 6s deferred, it; Virginias, consolidated, 701; do. 2d series 411. Cotton quiet and a shade firmer; middling 10%a Di. Flour dull, heavy and unchanged. Wheat duil, steady and unchanged. Wheat duil, steady and unchanged. Corn—Southern timer, with a fair demand; Western firmer and nigaer, with light offerings; Southern white 65a 66; Southern yellow 66a67; Western mixed spot and May 66; June 661; July 673 bid; steamer 58. Osta dull and lower to sell; Southern 44a47. Oats dull and lower to sell; Southern 44a17; Western white 48; do. mixed 46; Penna 45a47. Rye dull at 90a95. Hay unchanged. Provisions dill, weak and unchanged. Sugar firm at 12. toffee dull and nominally unchanged. Whis-Ery quiet at 1 12 a\$1 13.

HEW YORK, May 18.—Stocks weak. Money Cold 107. Flour dull and declining. Wheat trit and nominally unchanged. Corn to better and moderately active.

RICHMOND MARKET, May 17.—The market for gram is quiet, and the offerings very light. Sales of Wheat at 175a195 for fair to prime white, and 165a185 for fair to good red. Sales of about 400 bushels of Corn at 67 for white, and 5 for mixed. Sales of Oats at 45. Nothing dong in Rye.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, May 17 .- The market or grain is very quiet, with light receipts. Wheat is quoted at 160a200, as to quality; Corn 65a68 for white, and 60a65 for yellow; Oats 40 a 15, and Rye 65a70. Butter is coming in more treely, and prices are lower.

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, May 17 .- The Wheat 160a200 for ordinary to prime; Corn 60a to; Rye 80a85, and Oats 40a45.

BALTIMORE SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET .-Sugars-The market is quiet, but very firm. We note the sale of 40 hhds Porto Rico Sugar 

Porto Rico, grecery grades...... 104 a 103 Demerara, vacuum pan...... 101 a 111 New Orleans, grocery grades......... 93 a 10 Coffee Business in Coffee is entirely at a stand, no sales whatever being reported to-day, or for several days past, and we write the mar-set very dull with the feeling in it heavy. We

still quote as follows, viz:
2-b lots -Ordinary 17 a 171 Fair 194 a 192 Good 20 a 204 (Gold, 60 days.)

ALEXANDRIA CATTLE MARKET, Msy 18 .-Frices to-day ranged as follows: Csttle, very best 6 a 6½ a 6
Good 5½ a 6
Medium 5 a 5½
Thia Steers and Oxen 3 a 4
Csives, hest 6 a 61 Calves, best...... 6 a 62 Good ...... 5 a 6 Ordinary...... 4 a 5 Steep, best...... 5 a 51 Lambs 3a\$5 per head, or 72a82c per 1b

The market for Cattle showed very little activity this week, no good ones being offered, the butchers having to go to Georgetown for supplies; quotations 3a6tc. The market for Calves opened quite brisk, sellers having no difficulty in getting 61c for good ones, and in some cases even as high as 7c. Sheep and Lambs were in good supply, and sold readily at quotations.

liogs have taken an upward turn, and sold at an advance of le on last week's prices. Cows and Calves are in moderate demand, and sell slowly at quotations. Market moderately active NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, May 17 .-Beeves-Receipts 5428 head. The supply was too large for the demand at former prices, and even at a reduction equal to take per lb trade was not brisk, and the market closed dull and

weak. Among the offerings were upward of 30 carloads of distillery fed Steers, which were sold at 10tallic per lb, while common to extra cornied Steers ranged from 9talle per lb. About 600 head were used for the English trade. Calves-Receipts 1019 head. Market about steady at 4a42c per pound for butlermilk Calves

and mixed lots, and 5a7c per lb for ordinary to choice milkfed veals.
Sheep and Lambs—Arrivals 7156 head. Mar-

remained unsold. Extreme range for common

to strictly prime clipped Sheep was 4½a62 per lb; for spring Lambs 8311½c per lb.

Hogs—Receipts 5669 head. Three carloads of fair Ohio Hogs, about 200 lbs average, were sold at figures not reported, but the price was close to 52c per lb. Dressed Hogs were steady at 53a 71c per pound.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, May 17.—Cattle receipts 3900; shipments 4200; market quiet and weak; a shade lower; Calves and Cows 3 75aS4; good Steers 4 80830 10; good feeders 4 80830; good shipping S5 3-1. Hogs—receipts 10,000; shipments 2800; market dull; prices 10a15c lower; buyers and sollers apart; light packing 4 75a or; buyers and sollers apart; light packing 4 75a to hold the primary election, and declared the result thereof as follows: good Steers 4 80a\$5 10; good feeders 4 90a\$5 shipping 5aS5 05; good to choice heavy Boston and Providence 5-10aS5 50 Sheep-receipts small; market quiet, but firm; sales at 5 50

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, May 17 .-The offerings of Beet Cattle this week were only about 60 head, but the demand was light and the supply sufficient; sales at 4562c per 1b, as to quality. There were about 900 Sheep and Lambs offered -- more than the market required; sales of Sheep at 5a53c per lb, and Lambs at 2 75 \$4 per head. A few Cows and Calves brought

CINCINNATI HOG MARKET, May 17.—Hogs duil and lower; common 4 40.\$4.75; fair to good light 4 80.\$5.10; packing 4 90.35.15; butcher- 5 20.\$5.00; receipts 2335 hean; shipments 585.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MAY 18. Sun rises. 4 47 | Moon sets... morn Sun sets... 7 6 | High water... 0 00 ARRIVED.

Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F A Steamer John W Thompson, Leonardtown, to F A Reed. Steamer Mattano, Nomini, to Jes Broders

Steemer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, by F A Steamer Express, Baltimore, by Jos Broders Schr W F Green, Bayview, Mass , by Wm A Smoot. Schr W D Hilton, from Georgetown.

MEMORANDA. Schr Agnes Repplier, for this port, sailed from Philadelphia loth. Schr Nellie C Paine, hence, at Boston 17th. Schr A Brabrook, hence, at Providence 16th.

#### SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOOK! LOOK!-We have had sent us from a large retailer in New York city quite a lot of LADIES' BOOTS which are a little out of style. They will be sold at about one fourth of their cost. Ask for job lot at

WADDEY'S, 74 King st.

To THE LADIES. - We have just received a very large and superior stock of LOW QUARTER SHOES, in all of the late styles. They are handsome and durable. THESE GOODS ARE FIRST CLASS, and they will be sold for much less than they can be bought elsowhere.

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WADDEY, 74 King st.

SEE VINE CULTURE AND WINE MAKING .-Mr. Alfred Speer, of Passaic, N. J., so long and favorably known as the wine man of New Jersey, expects a larger yield of grapes this year than usual, and has reduced the price of his four year old port so as to bring it within the reach of the poorer families who need a pure and rich wine for medicinal purposes. Mr. Speer's mode of fermenting and keeping his wine differs from the usual methods. This is the reason why it is so much superior in quality; but it requires four years management and changing of temperature in order to make such perfect fine wine as this is: the knowledge of changing to various temperatures at different times, and at the right time, is where he has the advantage of getting so rich a wine without the use of liquor. Large quartities of Speer's Port Grape Wine have been ordered to South America and even to London and Paris by Europeans. Physicians recommend it as superior to most of the European wine It is dealt in largely by druggists. -[Daily Express. 3t

65 CLOSING OUT SALE .- My entire stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, com-

plete in all its branches, and comprising the finest Dress and Business Suits of Imported Cassi-

meres and Diagonals, fine French Cassimere

Pants, Broad Cloth Suits, Bilk Vests, &c , &c ,

will be closed out without reserve during this

season, preparatory to winding up my business before the commencement of the next fall sea-

son. Being in want of funds, an early call will

be appreciated by me and to the advancement of your interests.

S. DEALHAM, S9 King street.

TRY IT. - We can recommend our readers to use EDWARDS & HUTCHISON'S LINIMENT. There is nothing better for Rheumatism, Sprains, Bruises, Frostbites, and Chilblains; also equally good for injuries in horses. Try it, and you will find it does all we claim. feb 20-eo3m

ACARD. -To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T INMAN, Station D. Bible House, New York feb 6-co&wum

TEETH, if not kept clean, soon decay, Young people, remember this. Use daily THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOTH POWDER. It will preserve thom through life. Soit by druggists. 25c per bottle feb 28-1y

EES-HARD TIMES demand economy. Practice it. Renovate your soiled Gloves with JOU-VEN'S INODORLESS KID GLOVE CLEANER. It will cleanse them thoroughly. Sold by druggists. 25 cents per bottle.

## AMUSEMENTS.

LINCOLN HALL THOMAS. FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 25. SATURAY EVENING, MAY 26. THEODORE THOMAS'

GRAND CONCERTS. First appearance since her return from Kurope, of MISS ANNIE LOUISE CARY, The great and favorite Prima Donna Contralto,

received every where with the greatest enthuiasın. Mr. S. E. JACOBSOHN, Solo Violinist, Together with the UNRIVALED ORCHESTRA.

Tickets of admission, CNE DOLLAR Reserved Seats FIFTY CENTS EXTRA. The sale of reserved seats will commence on Monday morning, May 20, at Metzerott & Co's., where full programmes can now be had. Doors open at 7:15; to commence at So'clock. Steinway & Son's r'ianes are used exclusively.

my 18-7t IF YOU WANT A PAIR OF

that will surround those painful corns or bun-ions and make you think there is something in this world to live for besides trials, troubles, ket dull, weak and demoralized. Part of the vexations, pains, misery and tribulations, come offerings changed hands at prices which ranged fully ic per lb lower on Sheep, and about ic per lb lower on Lambs; but a number of carloads my 18

vexations, pains, initially and tribulations, come and let us it you in a pair of understandings that will produce the happy effect.

WADDEY, 74 King st. lb lower on Lambs; but a number of carloads

EASY-FITTING SHOES.

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Department, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., May 18, 1877-10:30 a. m.-For the Middle Atlantic States, falling, followed by rising barometer, winds mostly from the south and west, clear or partly cloudy weather and stationary temperature.

THE PRIMARY ELECTION. -The Conserva tive City Committee held a meeting this morn-

Offices and candidates.	1st ward.	2d ward.	3d ward.	4th ward.	Total.	
Mayor.					0-1	1
K. Kemper Auditor.	194	188	337	152	871	1
F. L. Brockett	204	171	331	146	852	1
Jacob Roxbury	124	116	249	120	G09	
J. R. Norris	77	60		35	292	1
W. W. Harper	150	129	253	116	648	1
J. J. Doherty	61	57	130	46	294	
J. T. Hill	115	97	200	79	497	1
G. H. Markell Collector South, Dis.	107	101	181	101	490	1
S. K. Field	220	195	392	172	979	ľ
C. L. Nesle	123	78	137	55	393	1
H. B. Whittington	61	59	156	75		1
V. M. Taylor Corp'n. Attorney.	38	CO	79	44	221	1
C. E. Stuart Supt. of Police.	219	200	393	172	984	i
S. Swain	27	20	27	17	91	1
J. P. Coleman	81	90	117	41	329	
R. H. Warder	13	5	19	9,	46	,
4. W. Clifford	87	CC	156	56	365	1
Newman Laws	2	1	27	39	- 69	,
I. B. Lovejoy Meas, Wood & Bark.	200	195	367	161	923	7
G. W. Dearborn	221	200	384	169	974	1
Г. Е. Кешр	202	190	362	159	918	
J. L. Adams	214	188	351	166	919	

There were 90 scattering votes for various officers.

The number of votes was only forty-five less than were east at the primary election last year. The following was then declared to be the conservative ticket for the coming municipal election: Mayor, K. Kemper; Auditor, F. L. Brockett; Superintendent of Gas, Jacob Roxbury ; Clerk of Gas, W. W. Harper; Collector Northern District, John T. Hill; Collector Southern District, S. K. Field; Clerk of the Market, C. L. Neale; Corporation Attorney, C. E. Stuart; Superintendent of Police, G. W. Clifford; Gauger, I. B. Lovejoy; Measurer of Wood and Bark, G. W. Dearborn; Measurers of Lumber, J. L. Adams and T. E. Kemp.

The committee further resolved to hold a public meeting in the market square on Monday night, to be addressed by the candidates and other conservative speakers.

It was ordered that the committee hold a meeting at the Sun engine house, at ten o'clock on Monday morning, and that all the candidates nominated yesterday, as well as the nominees for the City Council, to be selected to-night, be requested to attend.

The committee then adjourned.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A FORMER ALEXAN-DRIAN .- The Washington Star gives the following particulars of the sudden death of Mrs. King, formerly of this city :- "Yesterday, Mrs. Mary King died very suddenly at the residence of her son, Norval W. King, in the 76th year of her age. Mrs. King had been complaining of late of physical weakness, but was able to visit her physician, yesterday morning and one of her friends. The doctor advised her to take some rest, and on returning home she laid down, and before the family were aware that she was seriously ill she expired-a congestive chill being the immediate cause of death. She was a consistent Christian character. Her husband, the late Richard King, dying in Alexandria about 34 years ago, she found herself a widow with five children to raise, but by her needle she succeeded in raising them all; moving with them shortly after her affliction to this city. Her sons are Edwin H., James A. and Norval W. King, and daughters Mrs. Tabler and Mrs. Williams. For nearly her whole ife she has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and since her residence here she has held her membership at the Foundry Church, and she was known to the public as well as her fellow members as a lady ever ready to assist to the extent of her ability any good cause."

IMPEDIMENTS TO NAVIGATION, -The Balti more Sun says:

"The president of the board of Chesapeake pilots yesterday reported that the wreek of the bark Azow, sunk near Back River Point, in the lower bay, is lying in the track of vessels. The steamship Hibernian, which arrived here Wednesday, passed on Thursday night directly between the Azow's masts, which are just above the surface, and narrowly escaped some injury. The wreck of the schooner Mankin, dying near the same spot, is also reported as dangerous to navigation. It is probable that lights will be placed at the wrecks, and it is proposed to ask the government authorities to have the obstructions blown up by gunpowder or some other way, if they cannot be removed by wreckers."

DOUBLE RUNAWAY .-- Quite a lively time was caused on Pitt street this morning by a double runaway. A horse attached to a cart belonging to Mr. Thomas Perry became fright-ened and dashed off down Cameron street at a rapid rate until he was stopped, and a horse attached to Mr. McWilliams' milk wagon was scared by the clatter and ran down Pitt street towards Duke. Mr. John McWilliams, who was temporarily out of his wagon, ran behind and managed to scramble in, but was unable to control the animal, which continued its flight up Duke street, twisting off one of the wheels of the wagon and throwing Mr. McWilliams out, bruising him severely about the head and face. The borse was finally brought to a standstill above Washington street.

WARD MEETINGS. - The ward meetings both political parties will be held to-night. nominate candidates for the City Council. To conservative meetings will be held as follows: First Ward, No. 34 Prince Street

Second Ward, Sun Engine Heuse. Third Ward, Old Court House. Fourth Ward, Friendship Engine House. The radicals will hold their meetings at the following places :-

First Ward, Little Zion Church. Second Ward, Harlow's Hall. Third Ward, Old Court House. Fourth Ward, Colored Odd Fellows' Hall.

RAID ON CAMBLERS. -At six o'clock ves terday evening "The Exchange," on Rum Row, in Washington, a gambling establishment, owned by John Talty and John Heath. was raided by the police. Seventeen men were caught playing fare, roulette and bazard. A large quantity of chips, checks, including the deal box, lay-outs, &c., were captured. John Heath, the dealer, was locked up at the central guard house, as were also the others arrested, for trial to day. Three sambling tables were seized, as also other gambling apparatus. Since bright sacks, and for sale at lowest market the raids some weeks ago several of the big prices. gambling houses there have been operating in the day instead of the night time.

THE FISHERIES. - The receipts at Fishtown, as will be seen by the regular report published of which we offer at very low prices. elsewhere, are very light. This is not to be

attributed entirely to a falling off in the catch, but partly to the lack of wind on the river to [All announcements to be paid for in advance.] bring the fish vessels up from the shores' Some of the fishermen are beginning to give up, however, and the season is evidently drawing to a close. Captain Jerry Robb, at The Gums, "cut out" to-day.

CARRIER PIGEONS .- A gentlemen of this city who takes much interest in the rearing of pigeous, has secured several of the carrier variety, and made an experiment yesterday with them. He carried the birds in a basket to the Theological Seminary and released them, and in seven minutes by the watch they reached andria for the office of Auditor. their cot in this city. The distance traveled was about three miles.

#### Local Brevitles.

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere the celchrated Theodore Thomas grand concert troupe will give an extertainment next Friday night in Washington. Efforts will be made to secure an extra train from this city.

The Cumberland Alleganian says that the Maryland coal company expressed a willingness to unite with the other companies in paying a fixed rate of freights to boatmen in ad vance of that now being paid by some. An old lady named Mrs. Bennett feil over-

board at Fishtown, vesterday, but was speedily rescued by Officer Joseph Horseman, who was standing near by. R. B. Lloyd made application yesterday for admission to the bar of the District of Columbia,

and his application was referred to the examination committee by the judges. Wm. H. Fowle qualified as notary public before the Hustings Court of Staunton last

Saturday. Robert F. Taylor has been appointed postmaster at St. Inigoes, St. Mary's county, Md.,

vice Gco. Langley, resigned. The City Treasurer's office will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock to-morrow night.

Mr Thomas Hall is lying very ill with pneumonia at his residence on south Fairfax street.

REUNITED CHURCH.-The joint convention of the requited Methodist Protestant Church met in Baltimore yesterday, and organized by the election of the following permanent officers: President, Rev. Dr. L. W. Bates, of Maryland; Vice President, Rev. Dr. J. J. Smith, of New York; Secretaries, Rev. Dr. G. B. McEiroy, of Michigan, and Rev. W. H. Wills, of North

A paper was presented asking the appointment of a committee of five to bear the greetiogs of the reunited Methodist Protestant Church to the President of the United States in response to his fraternal letter addressed to a member of the convention.

The discharged Pawnee soldiers while on their way back to their reservations stole 38 horses.

Go North, South, East or West, and you will find coughs and colds at this season of the year. A remedy which never fails to give satisfaction is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Price 25 oculs.

On account of the dull times I have concluded to sell every yard of my large and desirable stock of dry goods about cost. Best calico 4; worth 10. Carter's, 707 Market Space, Washmy 4 wlm. ington, D. C.

CURE FOR SICK HEADACHE. - Dear Bro. Meek, editor "The Central Methodist," tlesburg, Ky. : I see in the last Central that you want a remedy for sick headache. If you will use a remedy that you advertise in your paper every week, I am sure you will be greatly benefited thereby, and I believe cured. I have been a sufferer from sick headache, I can say almost from infancy, and have tried every remedy I could get, and never found anything to do me any good until I used "Simmons' Liver Regulator." It has been nearly three years since I first used it, and I have not had sick headache since, and I have never used but two packages and a half of the "Regulator." I had a sister last spring that had from one to two spells of sick headache every week. I sent her half of a package and she says she has not had it since. I feel for any one that suffers with that terrible disease, and I hope you will give it a trial, and I also hope to hear that if I am yours, C. S. Morris. has cured you.

Brownsville, W. V., Sept. 6, 1876.

## MARRIED.

On Thursday, May 31, at St. George church, Flushing, L. I., by the Rev. Francis E. Lawrence, A. Stephen Dandridge, of Jefferson county, W. Va., to CAROLINE D. BEDINGER. daughter of the lete Hon. Henry Bedinger, and granddaughter of Hon. John W. Lawrence, of Flushing, L. I.

## DIED.

In Aldie, on Thursday, May 31, 1877, Mrs. M. L. MOORE, wife of Capt. John Moore, in the 731 year of her age.

23 There will be a mass meeting of the conservative voters at the Market square, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. By order:
J. T. BECKHAM,
1t Sec. City Conserv. Committee.

A MONG OUR NEW

EPRING AND SUMMER STOCK We have some NEW STYLES FOR LADIES' WEAR that are really beautiful.

Ludies who have any desire to present a hand-come understanding will do well to examine them at WADDRY'S, 74 King st.

TO LOVERS OF A GOOD CUP OF COF-

FEE. Just received at SS King street, corner of Royal, the CENTENNIAL TEA and COFrespectively for FLY FANS at a very re-

duced price. A sample on hand

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. FRESH COCOANUT, Fruit, Citron, Aimond and Vanilla Drops, Egg and Honey Jumbles, Egg and Honey Fingers, Cocoanut Snaps and Maccaroons. These are very superior Cakes just received by my 18

J. C. & E. MILBURN.

OHEAP DWELLING FOR RENT-The dwelling over the banking office formerly occupied by Corse & Bro., Nos. 57 and 59 King street. To a good tenant it will be ranted cheap. Apply to H. C. SLAYMAKEE.

QUIRK'S IRISH TRA, A Positive Cu A Positive Cure for Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Disordered Liver, Headache, Costiveness, Impure Blood, &c. Just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL.

PURK'S ISLAND SALT. A full supply of TURK'S ISLAND SALT

in store and for sale at lowest market price by JAPANESE PAPER WARE-SOME-THING NEW-We have just received a

variety of the above ware, which is durable, light and cheap, consisting of Pitchers and Bowls, Wash Bowls and Slop Jars. Call and my 15 McLEAN & UHLER'S, 107 King st. examine them at

1500 SACKS LIVERPOOL SALT.
SACKS LIV. G. A. SALT
SACKS FINE SALT
All in prime order, full and

CANDIDATES.

MAYOR.

AM a candidate for Mayor at the election to be held on Thursday, May 24th, 1877, and respectfully solicit the votes of my fellow citi-[my 18-to] K. KEMPER. AUDITOR.

I AM a candidate for re election to the office of Auditor, and respectfully request the supin small packages and tierces, at reduced prices. Call early at SAM'L. J. REED'S, port of the people. my 18-ta

ATTHE REQUEST of some friends, I offer myself as a candidate to the voters of Alex-ROBERT S. ASHBY. ap 30-td\*

SUPERINTENDENT OF GAS.

FELLOW CITIZENS-I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Gas. I have discharged the duties thereof in the last year to the best of my ability, and, I think, to the satisfaction of the entire community. Any one having doubts as to the efficiency of my work is respectfully requested to call at the office, examine my books and be relieved of his erroneous im-M. H. NASH. pression.

SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE.

TAKE pleasure in recommending for \*V the office of Superintendent of Police WILLIAM H. BARTLE. He is highly fitted for the position, and is not only identified with the interests of the working man, but also with that of the property holder. He is temperate, industrious and reliable, and if elected will be found fully competent to intelligently discharge every duty relative to the office of Superistendent of Police. my 5-tes

MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK; TOO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA VA.-I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for Measurer of Wood and Bark. If the office. Respectfully, SAMUEL BAKER. elected, I will faithfully discharge the duties of

FISH. OYSTERS, &c. WM. H. SMITH & CO.,

Dealers in
FRESH AND SALTED FISH,
Corporation Fish Whart,
Alexandria, Virginia,
Would inform dealers and others that they are

prepared to furnish them with all kinds of POTOMAC FISH at the lowest possible prices. We would call the attention of buyers to the fact that our brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and wo intend to sustain our reputation in that respect.
All orders addressed to W. H. Smith & Co., Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. mh 15-3m

G. GRIMES & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in FRESH AND SALTED FISH, Stands-Fish wharf and Market Building. fob 23-3m

M. H. SMITH,

Wholesale and Rotail Dealer in OYSTERS, FISH, PRODUCE, &c., &c., No. 16 north Fairfax street, Has constantly on hand Oysters of the best quality from Norfolk and olsewhere received tresh by steamers every day, and is prepared to furnish the trade at as low prices as any house in the city.

All orders intrusted to him shall receive prompt and careful attention. NEW AND BEAUTIFUL SPRING DRY

## CARTER'S.

707 Market Space, Washington, D. C. We are selling the very best Calico that is made in beautiful Spring styles at 5%.

Sheeting Cotton, very wide, excellent quality, only 25, worth 40 (slightly soiled) Bed Ticking, yard wide idouble twilled, best in the world, only 25, worth 50 (slightly soiled). Pure Linen Table Damask, vory fine, in rem-nant of 2, 21 and 3 yards, only 50, worth 75 Lonsdale Cambric, yard wide, finest that is made, only 15 worth 20.

New and beautiful Spring Dress Goods in all the new French shades, 10, 11, 12, 15, 18, 20, 25, 31, 37, 50, We are selling the cheapest Black Silks in Washington, 87, 100, 112, 118, 125, 137, 150, 162,

Black Cashmeres, 40 inches wide, very fine, only 50, worth 75; these cheap Cashmeres were bought at auction. Black Alpacas, very cheap, 18, 20, 25, 80, 37, and our beautiful Black Silk Mohair Alpa-

ca only 50, worth 75.
White Wool Flannel 12; large Dinner Napkins, pure linen 8; Towels 5, White Spreads 75; Table Linen 25; Linen Handkerchiefs 6; Shool Cotton 3.

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